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30 CENTS PER MONTH, PRICE 2 CENTS.

Special Programme For the Fair.

Our entire store is crowded with new goods for the Fall, and the prices are especially interesting, being the same and lower than last year, notwithstanding the advance on all woolen and cotton goods

Being the Only Clothiers in Orange Co. Who Make Their Own Ready-Made Clothing

we are therefore in a position to save you the middleman's profit, which every clothier must pay to the man who manufactures their goods. This middleman's profit, which is

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You save when buying your clothing from us, besides getting better made and better fitting clothing.

Men's Suits \$3.88, Men's All Wool Suits, With Guarantee Label, \$4.95, Fine Suits \$6, \$8, \$10, \$12.

EVERYTHING NEW IN CHILDREN'S SUITS

Vestee Suits for little men (3 to 8 years), in large variety at all prices.

Men's All Wool Fall Overcoats \$5.00!

These have our guarantee label.

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CHILDREN'S KNEE PANTS, "BUDWIG'S OWN,"

Double seat, double knees, patent waist band and hold-fast buttons only

25 Cents a Pair. Everything New in Neckwear.

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Our \$1.50 and \$2 Derbies equal those others sell at \$2 and \$2.50, and we go them one better yet, as we guarantee to replace any Hat from \$1.50 up which does not satisfy the customer.

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Custom Suits from \$16.50 Up. Custom Pants from \$4 Up.

Every garment is cut on our premises. Every garment is tried on while in process of making. Every garment is made by tailors living in this city. Every garment is warranted to please or we refund the money. Look us over while in the city. Make our place your headquarters.

This is our Trade Mark.



HIS ANSWER IS YES.

Mr. Low Will Run For First Mayor of the Greater New York.

WILL BE FREE FROM PARTISAN TIES.

In a Lengthy Letter He Explains His Position on the Civil Service and the Excise Laws and Promises Loyal Service to the City.

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Mr. Low's letter accepting the Citizens' union nomination for mayor was received last night at the headquarters of the union. It is as follows:

Gentlemen—I accept with a deep sense of responsibility the nomination that you have offered me in your communication of Sept. 1. So far as the expression of popular desire which accompanies it implies confidence in me, it will be a lifelong inspiration and a strong impulse, in the event of my election, to fulfill the expectations of those for whom you speak. I take it for granted that this nomination is offered subject to the expressed conditions stated in my letter to a committee of the Citizens' union dated June 7, which letter was used as a basis of your canvass, and in which I said that I could accept no nomination if there was attached to it any obligation, expressed or implied, in case of my election, other than the obligation of the official oath as mayor to make the interests of the city the paramount concern in the discharge of every duty.

I am a Republican, and I expect to remain one, but I am completely in sympathy with the purposes of the Citizens' union to secure a mayor for the great city who shall be "free from all partisan obligations." Such a mayor, if elected, I shall certainly be.

The civil service laws of the state shall be impartially enforced by such methods as will insure a practicable and reasonable test of fitness and the selection of subordinate officers upon their merits, irrespective of political influence, so as to afford a fair chance to every citizen without regard to race, religious belief or political affiliation. I shall be my endeavor to build up in all parts of the public service a spirit of honest pride, based upon the well settled conviction on the part of every person in the city's employ that so long as his services are needed and he renders them faithfully and well no influence in the city shall be able to turn him out, while the moment he fails in his duty no influence shall be strong enough to keep him in.

Nothing is more vital to the welfare of the city, as I can see it, than it be allowed by the legislature to shape its own destinies in all matters that are purely local. I would wish the great city to bear its part proudly in all that concerns the Empire State, but as concerns the city's local affairs, it is not so much a part of the state as it is the home of its inhabitants. If I am elected, I shall contend stoutly for the city's right in such matters to govern itself.

As to the public franchises, the Greater New York charter practically embodies the doctrine that the city shall not part with the ownership of its franchises, but shall lease them for limited periods, subject to occasional revision of the terms. I think legislation should be had, in addition to the charter, that will enable the city to treat every consent to a change of power by street railroads as a new franchise.

It is utterly unreasonable that because of defective legislation those valuable grants should be continued to be given away without compensation to the city. As matters now stand, these consents are granted by the state railroad commission, and the city is deprived of all opportunity to secure a return for them either by way of a money payment or by imposing conditions calculated to secure a service thoroughly in the interest of the public.

I am heartily in favor of carrying to as speedy completion as possible the municipal rapid transit system for which the people of the present city of New York voted for in November, 1894, and, if elected, I shall do everything in my power to facilitate communication between the various boroughs of the great city by means of bridges, tunnels and ferries. Nothing will do so much as a complete system of intercommunication to unify the people of all the boroughs into one municipality and to secure for all parts of the city the maximum advantages of consolidation.

I should gladly interest myself heartily in the schools and in all that concerns the higher life of the people, and I should strive earnestly to promote every municipal interest that makes for the commercial and business prosperity of the city and the welfare of the citizens. The harbor and the water front would command my especial care.

No campaign in the city of New York turning on local issues can be conducted in the present condition of excise legislation without some reference to the excise question. The Raines law, in my belief, contains the germ of an excise system far better than that which it supplanted in that it has relieved the liquor traffic of the arbitrary control of excise boards and has substituted for this a grant of explicit rights that can be enforced at law. Where the Raines law failed as applied to New York it fails because it does not take into account the public sentiment of the city. New York, while characteristically an American city, is also, as the Germans say, a world city.

It is cosmopolitan in fact and cosmopolitan in sentiment. Men of every sort of upbringing must be able to live in such a city happily and naturally, of course, with due regard to the rights and convictions of others. Legislators on this subject should never forget that the excise law stands midway between the laws that everybody believes in and the dead laws that no-

body believes in, and that the effective public sentiment behind it locally is the only permanent force on which to depend in its administration. For this reason, in my opinion, an excise law, so far as it affects the daily life and the habits of the people, should reflect the public opinion of the city. On such points, in case of radical differences of opinion, I should take the appeal to the people themselves. In a community like this I know no better way to secure for an excise law the support of a sentiment that will sustain its even enforcement.

The city of New York will have a population larger than that of most of the states of the Union and larger than that of all the colonies combined when they issued their Declaration of Independence. The wish of those for whom you speak, as I understand it, is especially to secure for this imperial city the opportunity to start upon its new career under an administration pledged to make the interests of the city its supreme care. Such a purpose ought to appeal to the civic pride of every citizen. I could wish that the popular movement which you represent had designated some other man to lead in the great struggle, for in such a cause it would have been a pleasure to serve in the ranks. But if my fellow citizens see fit to intrust the arduous task to me I shall serve them loyally with every power that I have. Respectfully,

SETH LOW.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores of the Baseball Games.

At Brooklyn—
Brooklyn 1 0 2 1 1 2 1—8
New York 2 1 0 0 3 1 1—5
Brooklyn—Hits, 11; errors, 2. New York—Hits, 11; errors, 4. Game called on account of darkness.

At Cleveland—
Cleveland 1 0 0 2 3 0 0 1—7
St. Louis 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 4—6
Cleveland—Hits, 12; errors, 3. St. Louis—Hits, 8; errors, 6.

At Louisville—
Louisville 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 7—7
Pittsburg 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0—2
Louisville—Hits, 9; errors, 2. Pittsburg—Hits, 6; errors, 2.

At Washington—
Cincinnati 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1—2
Washington 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1
Cincinnati—Hits, 5; errors, 1. Washington—Hits, 5; errors, 2. Game called on account of darkness.

At Baltimore—
Baltimore 0 1 2 0 0 1 0 0—4
Chicago 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1—2
Baltimore—Hits, 8; errors, 0. Chicago—Hits, 5; errors, 0.

Second game—
Baltimore 0 2 6 3 3—11
Chicago 3 0 1 0 0—4
Baltimore—Hits, 9; errors, 2. Chicago—Hits, 8; errors, 2. Game called on account of darkness.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Baltimore	82	33	.713
Boston	83	35	.703
New York	75	41	.647
Cincinnati	67	49	.577
Cleveland	59	59	.500
Washington	54	62	.461
Chicago	53	65	.449
Brooklyn	52	65	.449
Philadelphia	51	67	.432
Pittsburg	50	66	.429
Louisville	50	69	.420
St. Louis	27	91	.229

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

The western part of Guatemala has risen against President Barrios.

The steamer Niagara, which grounded off Santiago de Cuba, was floated.

Louise Michel and a band of English anarchists propose to visit America.

Forty persons were killed by an accident in the Champion Reefs mine, India.

Sarah Bernhardt was slightly injured by a fall from a cliff at Belle Isle en Mer.

Spanish priests have been ordered by the vatican to abstain from Carlist agitations.

The bodies of two more victims of the Newcastle (Colo.) railway wreck have been identified.

The representatives of the Cuban junta of New York have been expelled from Vera Cruz, Mexico.

The revolting Indian tribesmen have surrounded Fort Shabkadr and threaten to make another attack.

The steamer Humboldt from St. Michaels reports the steamer Eliza Anderson safe in Dutch harbor.

Rev. G. B. F. Howard, a United States prisoner from Tennessee, has escaped from the Ohio penitentiary at Columbus.

John E. Redmond, the Parnellite, says that Ireland's prospect of starvation this winter is blacker than for many years.

Arnold Luetgert, son of the Chicago sausage maker on trial for alleged wire murder, plans to tour the country to exhibit the vat in which Mrs. Luetgert's body is said to have been destroyed.

Massacre in Kongo.

MARSEILLES, Sept. 14.—Mails which have arrived from the French Kongo bring news of the massacre of a trading convoy in canoes, Upper Kongo. The Pahouin tribe on July 29 fell upon the convoy near the town of Njole, on the Kongo river, killing about 40 natives. The two white men who were in command are believed to have escaped.

Loan to a Government.

MONTEVIDEO, Sept. 14.—A number of leading bankers have agreed to make a loan to the government of 500,000 piasters to defray the expenses of the war with the insurgents which has just been brought to a conclusion.

Four Drowned in Iowa.

WATERLOO, Ia., Sept. 14.—Rev. Scott Hyatt and wife, Royal McQueen and Mrs. A. E. Tibbets were drowned in the Cedar river at Waverly. The party was on an excursion.

TROUBLE AT ECKLEY

Strikers March on a Colliery of the Coxe Bros. Mines.

FUNERALS OF LATTIMER VICTIMS.

Emma Haas, the Miners' Joan of Arc, Arrested With Other Women at Plum Creek—A Fight Between Miners and Deputies Followed.

HAZLETON, Pa., Sept. 14.—Trouble has broken out at Coxe Bros. colliery at Eckley. Two hundred miners at Buck Mountain, which is about three miles from Eckley, went on strike and started toward the Eckley mine. The superintendent of the Eckley colliery telegraphed to General Gobin for troops, but later the request was withdrawn, the superintendent notifying the general that the striking miners had stopped marching.

After this General Gobin received another telegram stating that these miners had again assembled, had marched on the Eckley mines and forced the miners to quit work. It was stated in the dispatch that the miners had been roughly handled by the strikers.

General Gobin has ordered the City troops of Philadelphia to go to the scene of the disturbance. Eckley is a small mining village and lies in a valley. There are a number of collieries, and fears have been entertained for the past 48 hours that trouble would break out, as the men had been acting very ugly.

The situation in the Hazleton district is one of unrest. All the collieries in this district are apprehensive of danger. Requests have been pouring in to General Gobin from the various mines asking that he send troops to the places in order to prevent any possible outbreak. The general states that he will not send troops to any point unless an outbreak does occur. The general declines to give the names of the collieries, as all the men in them are still at work. The operators, however, are apprehensive of a strike and want to be prepared for an emergency.

Two mine superintendents in this immediate vicinity have asked General Gobin to place guards around their houses. This will be done. General Gobin will not make public the names of the superintendents who made the request.

Two actresses, who are playing in a theater here overheard a conversation on the main street of Hazleton yesterday to this effect. They were passing a group of miners and heard one of them remark: "I've got the material, but I don't know how to mix the d— stuff. If I did, I'd blow them up to-night." This information was sent to General Gobin, and as he had already heard mutterings from other sources he decided to send guards to the houses of the two mine superintendents.

The funerals of 12 of the victims occurred yesterday, but, contrary to expectation, there was no disturbance by the strikers during the funeral processions. Enormous crowds lined the route, and 8,000 persons assembled in and about St. Stanislaus' church, where requiem mass was celebrated for nine of the dead men. All the bodies were buried in St. Stanislaus' Cemetery.

Women Arrested at Plum Creek.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 14.—Emma Haas, the miners' Joan of Arc, and three other women were arrested for marching at Plum Creek by sheriff's deputies.

The attempt to make the arrests precipitated an incipient riot, in which the deputies fared badly.

No one was seriously hurt, but scarcely a deputy escaped a clubbing, and Superintendent Sam De Armit was cut on the hand. Two of the women arrested carried babies.

The riot was the result of a carefully planned attempt to prevent the men at work at Plum Creek from entering the mines. There were 25 women and about 50 strikers concerned in it.

About daylight the party started out, headed by Emma Haas. Many had a pick handle or a club of some sort.

On the Murrayville road they encountered a posse of deputies and were ordered back to the camp. No attention was paid to the order, and the party tried to force its way through the line of deputies.

A scuffle followed, and Emma Haas and three other women who were in the lead were arrested.

A scene of wild excitement ensued. The moment a deputy laid hands on a woman he was surrounded by others, waving clubs in the air and using them on the head of a deputy when the opportunity offered.

Deputy Walker was severely clubbed, and S. C. De Armit was cut on the hand. He says he was attacked by a woman with a knife.

The names of the women arrested were Emma Haas, Mrs. John Kosar, Mrs. Frank Haas and Mrs. Esner. Mrs. Kosar and Mrs. Esner had their babies with them.

After the removal of the prisoners from Plum Creek the excitement subsided, and the women and strikers returned to camp.

The reason more of the women were not arrested was that four or five deputies were required to hold one of them, and the force was not large enough to take charge of the crowd.

The Sheriff Defies Danger.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Sept. 14.—Sheriff Martin came down to Wilkesbarre from his home at Plains yesterday. He at once repaired to his office in the courthouse, where he held a long consultation with his attorney. Later he was in telephonic communication with General Gobin at Hazleton.

Sheriff Martin insists on walking the streets unattended. His friends think this is dangerous, and they advised him to procure a bodyguard, but he laughs at the idea.

He says he does not believe for a mo-

ment that his life is in danger. His belief is probably founded on the fact that he does not hear what his enemies have to say about him, and he does not read the newspapers.

The newspapers printed in a foreign language and circulated in this section will devote a great deal of space to the sheriff in their issues of this week.

The editor of one of these journals has publicly expressed belief that his countrymen who were shot at Lattimer were murdered and the sheriff was the murderer.

Hanging, he thinks, ought to be his lot. No attempt has been made to arrest the sheriff. It is said the warrant will be served today.

INTRODUCING WOODFORD.

President McKinley's Letter to the Queen of Spain.

SAN SEBASTIAN, Spain, Sept. 14.—General Woodford transmitted to her majesty the following letter from President McKinley:

"Great and Good Friend:
"I have chosen Stewart Woodford, one of our most distinguished citizens, to reside near the government of your majesty in the quality of envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of the United States. He is well informed on the subject of the interests of the two countries and of our sincere desire to cultivate and maintain the friendship so long existing between the two governments. My knowledge of his high qualities and talents fills me with entire confidence that he will strive constantly to develop the interests and prosperity of the two governments, thus making himself agreeable to your majesty's government.

"Therefore, I beg your majesty to be good enough to receive him favorably and to place confidence in all he may say on behalf of the United States and in the assurances he is commissioned to convey to your majesty of the best wishes of our government for the prosperity of Spain.

"God preserve your majesty."

TRIBESMEN CARRY A POST.

The Orakzais' Determined Onslaught at Sargaharti.

SIMLA, India, Sept. 14.—The Orakzais have captured an outlying post at Sargaharti. The post was attacked by 1,000 Orakzais. A gallant defense was made by the garrison of 21 Sikhs, who for 6½ hours sustained three furious assaults. In the third assault the Orakzais forced the door. The garrison left the walls to expect the invaders, and the enemy was thus able to escalate the fort with a ladder.

One Sikh defended the guardroom, killing 20 of the foe. He was finally burned alive at his post. The signaler kept up communication until the fort fell. It is reported that he was the only Sikh who was spared.

Fort Lockhart and Fort Gulistan are heavily attacked. The relieving force which has been sent forward consists of four guns and five squadrons.

The startling news comes from Fort Lockhart that the combined bodies of the Afridis and Orakzais number 47,000 men. They are now all collected near Khan Ki valley and will advance on the fortifications at Samana for an attack tonight.

Has to Get Out of the United States.

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Notwithstanding the fact that T. W. Dudley, the treasurer, and J. H. Thompson, the bookkeeper of the Canadian Pacific Railroad company, swore that Chin Suey Kee, one of the 12 Chinamen arrested at the Grand Central depot, is a member of the Quan Ti Chung company, grocers, on Pell street, here, United States Commissioner Alexander held that the prisoner is not a merchant, but a laborer, and must be deported under the Geary act. The government called Mrs. S. C. Christie, H. De Wolf and Henry W. Banta, who testified that Chin Suey Kee is a plain laundryman on Union street, Hackensack, N. J.

Will Recover From Their Wounds.

BARNSTABLE, Mass., Sept. 14.—Victor H. Heilinen, one of the laborers who was shot during a general row early Sunday morning at Otto Mattison's boarding house, between West Barnstable and Hyannis, is in a serious condition, but Dr. Higgins thinks he will probably recover. Mattison, the boarding housekeeper, and another man, named Oskia Ahold, were shot in the head and neck, while several others were slightly hurt. Both Ahold and Mattison are badly wounded, but will recover.

The Deficiency in Europe's Crops.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—The monthly report of Mr. John Hyde, the statistician of the agricultural department, gives the information that there is about 113,000,000 bushels' deficiency this year in European crops as compared with their average product for the six years 1891-6, that the demand will far exceed the sources of supply, and that Europe, except where she can draw on the stocks remaining from previous crops, must suffer a scarcity in her bread supply.

Codfishermen Will Suffer.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Sept. 14.—Reports from Labrador confirm the rumors of the complete failure of the codfishery. Hundreds of vessels are returning, bringing accounts of exceptionally poor fishing. There is every reason to believe that there will be widespread destitution among the fishermen during the autumn and winter, which will be aggravated by the low prices now ruling in foreign markets.

Austria Waiting.

LONDON, Sept. 14.—A dispatch to The Daily Mail from Vienna says that the Austrian government is waiting for more extended reports as to the conflicts between the authorities and the striking miners at Hazleton, Pa., and has not yet taken action with regard to the massacre.

Waverley Bicycles

BICYCLES AND SUNDRIES

I have on hand the following new 1897 \$100 Models, 1 Orient \$75, 1 Trinity \$75, 1 Dayton \$75, 1 Pierce \$75, 1 Waverley \$75, 1 Spaulding \$75, 1 Model, with 27 tires and saddle, \$20. A line of bicycles, which I will close out cheap. All wheels fully guaranteed. Second-hand wheels from \$15 up. Singles and tandems, both double, diamond and combination for rent. Repairing a specialty.

C. L. SWEZY,
24 North Street, Corner
King St., Middletown.

NEW YORK'S CATHEDRAL

More Than One Hundred Persons Carried in Its Payroll.

St. Patrick's cathedral, of New York, is the chief church of what is said to be the greatest Catholic see in the world, and yet the outside world hears very little about the business management of it. Few who stop to admire its graceful lines even give a thought to the large amount of money that must be raised every year to pay its expenses and keep up its repair. Every property right is vested in the archbishop, who is the head of the board of trustees and ex-officio chairman of each committee, but for business purposes the corporate body of the cathedral consists of nine trustees, who meet on the first Thurs-



ARCHBISHOP CORRIGAN.
(Head of the Largest Catholic Diocese in America.)

day of each month. Before them everything of a business nature pertaining to the cathedral goes for review and adjustment.

The government of this big church is in the hands of the archbishop and his chief lieutenant, Rector Michael J. Lavelle, and nearly every dollar raised and expended goes through Rector Lavelle's hands. The Church Economist quotes Rev. Father Lavelle as saying:

"There are but two sources of revenue in our church, and they are pew rents and the voluntary offerings of the people. The expenses of maintaining so large an institution as the cathedral with its auxiliary schools, libraries and benevolent institutions, are met without much difficulty. The amount required is, of course, large, but the cathedral people are reasonably liberal in their financial notions, and whenever a need presents itself nothing more has been necessary, thus far, than to notify them and they respond."

"There are about 12,000 church-going Catholics in this parish, but a great many of the persons who worship in the cathedral come from other parishes and other cities. From October to June probably from 13,000 to 15,000 persons worship in this church each Sunday. On special days, such as Christmas and Easter, we have had as many as 20,000 worshippers. Naturally the presence of so many persons requires the attention and labor of a large force of clergymen and attendants. Besides the archbishop there are eight priests regularly connected with the cathedral and there are five chapels, outside of the cathedral building, under the care of these clergymen. These outside chapels are located as follows: One in the orphan asylum for boys; one in the orphan asylum for girls; one in the De La Salle institute; one in the residence of the Christian brothers, at 243 East Forty-ninth street; and one in the convent of the Sacred Heart, at Fifty-fourth street."

Including the choir, altar boys, sexton and assistants, ushers and cleaners, there are 100 persons on the pay roll of the cathedral.

MAJ. J. HOGE TYLER.

Democratic Nominee for Governor of the Old Dominion.

Maj. J. Hoge Tyler, who was nominated by the democrats for governor of Virginia, is a native of Carolina and a son of the late George Tyler.

He was a very young man when the war broke out, but went into the service.



J. HOGE TYLER.
(Democratic Candidate for Governor of Virginia.)

federate service and made a record of which he and his family have cause to be proud.

After the war he went to Pulaski county to live, and has spent the major portion of his life there. He had a fondness for agricultural pursuits and made a success at farming.

He took naturally to politics and participated actively in the democratic campaigns. He was sent to the state senate in 1877.

He saw no more of public service until 1893, when he was made lieutenant governor and served out his term with distinction. He was a member of the debt commission and of other important committees. Since he retired from the lieutenant governorship he has spent a quiet life on his farm and at East Radford.

As a stump speaker, he has few equals in Virginia. He is an elder in the Presbyterian church, has a very happy family and is a model citizen.

Praise for the Sparrow.

It is urged that the sparrow is a benefactor to the farmer, because it feeds on the seeds of waste plants and weeds during the winter.

PLANS TO SURPRISE THE WORLD

Germany Preparing a Dazzling Exhibit for the Paris Exposition.

The German government has in course of preparation an exhibit for the Paris exposition of 1900 which is expected to surpass anything of the kind ever attempted by any nation. This statement is made by Consul-General Mason, of Frankfurt, Germany, in a report which reached the state department the other day.

"It is intended," Mr. Mason says, "that the exhibit shall be a complete, harmonious picture of the resources and industries of Germany, down to the latest date. Everything is to be collected at home, assorted, adjudged, classified and its position assigned by an imperial commission, so that duplicates and everything trivial and inferior to the best shall be excluded and the whole display presented in its most striking and effective form."

"The exhibit promises to be even a greater surprise than was Germany's at Chicago in 1893, and it will be made and managed for the express purpose of showing the merchants of all civilized nations what Germany has to sell."

Mr. Mason reports that Germany is doing everything possible to extend her commerce, having recently sent commissions to China and Japan and South America for this purpose. Her trade with the United States is being fostered as much as possible and he predicts that Germany will continue to follow this policy in the hope of eventually being the greatest commercial power of the world.

A Sensational Affair.

"My hair turned from raven black to snowy white in a single night."

"That's nothing. I went into a pawnbroker's shop once and stayed only 15 minutes. When I came out my watch had turned from gold to silver."—Chicago Record.

Chairovance.

"I see," said the gypsy, "a dark woman who will cause you trouble in money matters."

"Gwent heavens!" murmured Chollie. "Is that washerwoman going to hold me laundry for ransom again?"—Indianapolis Journal.

A Masterpiece.

Bishop Goodfellow—So you think John Gotro's will is a masterpiece of legal ingenuity and acumen, do you?

Judge Sharpley—Sir, I drew it, and I will stake my reputation upon that will's lasting in the courts as long as the property does.—Judge.

A Schoolboy's Idea.

Master—Do you understand the meaning of the terms capital and labor?

Small Boy—Yes, sir; I know what it is. If a boy toboggans down a hill, that's capital. If another boy pulls the sled up, that's labor.—Tit-Bits.

Tompkins' New Store.

NO. 8 EAST MAIN STREET.

Great and extraordinary sale of Dress Goods, Silks and Winter Underwear, beginning Monday, Sept. 13th, and continuing for one week. On Tuesday, Sept. 14th, the great Orange County Fair begins at Middletown and will continue for four days. You have had a hard season's work, take a day off, bring your wife and children along and have a day of pleasure at the Orange County Fair and combine business with pleasure. You need Dry Goods, Clothing and Shoes. Nowhere can you find such an assortment and such low prices as at Bright, Bony, Wide-awake, Middletown, and particularly in Dry Goods. Nowhere can you find such remarkably low prices as at Tompkins' New Dry Goods Store. We have made a great special effort for Fair week, both because we want to and because we have to. Before the advance in prices, caused by the new tariff, we bought big lots of Dress Goods, Silks and Winter Underwear, and our store is packed to the ceiling. We find that we have bought more goods than we can dispose of this season through the regular channels of business, so have decided to give the public a big slice of these goods during Fair week at practically what they cost us, to reduce this big, unwieldy stock to proper proportions. Positively none of these goods will be on sale at these prices until Monday, Sept. 13th.

One Bale of Best Unbleached Muslin.

Usual price 35c, at sale 32c a yard. So that this Muslin will be as fast as possible, we limit the quantity to 10 yards to each customer.

We Will Sell Any Grade of Bleached or Unbleached Muslin.

You may ask for at 1 to 2c below regular prices during this great sale.

Lonsdale Cambric 8c a Yard.

Sale of Wide Sheetings.

Confidence is the key note of success. Reliability of the goods we sell and certainty of fitting grades as promised has made Tompkins' New Store a household word in Middletown.

Wide Sheetings and Pillow Muslin—

Bleached.

14 yards wide, worth 12c, at sale 10c; 2 yards wide, worth 20c, at sale 18c; 2 1/2 yards wide, worth 21c, at sale 19c; 2 3/4 yards wide, worth 22c, at sale 20c.

Remnants of Century Flannel.

10c goods, at sale 8c a yard.

Red Calico, Small Black Figure, at sale 3 1/2c a yard.

Black and Silver Grey Mourning Calicoes, best quality, at sale 3 1/2c a yard.

Dark Ground Calicoes, at sale 3 1/2c a yard.

Indigo Blue Calicoes, best grades, 4 1/2c a yard.

Apron Check Gingham, best, 4 1/2c a yard.

Large 15c Turkish Bath Towels, 9c each.

Remnants of Linen Toweling, each 3 yards long, 10c a remnant.

300 Shoulder Shawls, in plaids and checks, value 40c, at sale 19c each.

Men's Cravat Neckties, Silk, Chub House, String Ties, 10 and 12c value, at sale 6c each.

Going to Klondike?

Better stay at home and get

GOLD DUST

from your grocer. Sold everywhere and

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PRAISE FOR ONTARIO AND WESTERN

Ranks in the Very First Row of Solvent
Railroads.Henry Labouchere, in his weekly
financial review in London *Truth*, speaks
of the Ontario and Western and its man-
agement in the following flattering
terms:

"Concerning the Ontario and Western I may mention that, although the fiscal year ended June 30, was not a good one, the road earned \$400,000 for the stock, and the current fiscal year will doubtless show very much better results. According to the balance sheet the entire current obligations of every nature were \$913,053, while the actual cash assets were \$2,528,148, not counting the supplies on hand or securities of other companies. This leaves an actual available cash balance of \$1,615,095. There are few roads which can make as satisfactory a showing as this; in fact Ontario and Western ranks in the very first row of solvent railroads. Of the cash assets \$1,133,000 are actual cash and loans and bills receivable. There is a report that the directors propose to pay a one per cent. dividend."

AN ECHO MEETING.

Programme for the Meeting to Be Held
at the Second Presbyterian Church,
To-night.

A pleasing programme has been arranged for the echo meeting of the Young People's Societies to be held at the Second Presbyterian Church, this (Tuesday) evening, at 8 o'clock. Addresses on interesting things heard at the international convention at San Francisco will be given by the delegates from this city. A cordial invitation is extended to all young people's societies and all interested to attend the meeting. Rev. Wm. A. Robinson, D. D., will preside and the choir of the First Congregational Church, under the direction of Choirmaster A. D. Marvin, will have charge of the music. The programme follows:

Hymn—"Onward Christian Soldier." W. A. Hurd
Scripture Reading—"Turn out the Life Line." W. A. Hurd
Prayer—"The Lord is our Life Line." H. E. Woodward
Thinking of the Old Home. Quartet
First Echo Address. A. B. Hurd
Hymn—"I need Assurance." David E. Lamb
Second Echo Address. David E. Lamb
Hymn—"God be with you till we meet again." Rev. Chas. Beattie, D. D.
Benediction. Rev. Chas. Beattie, D. D.

A NOVEL SCHEME.

A Line of Horseless Carriages for the
Delaware Valley.

It is now said that the parties who have been trying unsuccessfully to put through the Delaware Valley railroad project have changed their plans and now propose to put on a line of horseless carriages, running from Stroudsburg to Bushkill and later to Port Jervis. Negotiations have already been begun with manufacturers of horseless carriages. It is proposed to build them to carry parties of six, eight or ten, and they are expected to make the trip from East Stroudsburg to Bushkill in half an hour.

THE GREAT TRAIN ROBBERY.

A Play in Which Six Cheyenne Indians
Will appear.

Charles A. Davis, general agent for Davis & Knoch's theatrical enterprises, was in this city, Monday, preparing for the advent of his firm's latest dramatic novelty, "The Great Train Robbery," at the Casino Theatre, Monday evening, Sept. 20. A feature of this production, which deals with life in the southwest, is a band of six real Cheyenne Indians—fresh from the reservation at Fort Reno, I. T. "The Great Train Robbery" is playing in New York, this week.

Claimed to Have Been Thrown from a
Train.

An unknown man found in an Ontario and Western box car at Norwich, Saturday evening, suffering from a severe cut on the head, claimed that he had received it by being thrown from a train.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature to do its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for lists of testimonials. Address F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

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NATURE'S OWN PROTECTION.

Explanation of Why a Swelling Fol-
lows from a Blow.

The swelling which follows from a blow is nature's effort to protect the part from further injury and to keep it at rest while repair is going on, says the Philadelphia Times. What actually takes place at the seat of injury is not even now quite understood. The injury to the smaller blood vessels interferes with the flow of blood through them and the white corpuscles, with part of the serum, the watery part of the blood, escape into the surrounding tissues. At the same time the blood vessels in the neighborhood dilate and the increased flow of blood with the thoroughfare obstructed increases the swelling.

It is probable that the white corpuscles of the blood pass into the tissues to assist in the repair, as bees or ants assemble at an injury to their storehouse, but with this difference, that the substance of the corpuscles is probably converted into the tissue of repair. From one point of view the human body is only one gigantic colony of individuals, and the swelling that follows injury but the rush of these to repair the breach.

Once Had Earthquakes.

Southern Scotland and northern England are visited by multitudes of strangers each year, and many get as far as the Western Isles. Few of them, however, are reminded of volcanic phenomena, though columnar basalts, such as those of Fingal's cave, may sometimes suggest the thought of lava. Yet for long periods of time in the far past this region has been covered with volcanoes like Hecla, and lava sheets like those of the Snake river. Japan is not more plagued with earthquakes than England has been, and the quiet little island has had its Krakatoas. It may have them again, but there is no immediate danger.

A Nightmare.

"Wot's de matter wit' ye. Weary? Ye look sad."

"Gee! I dreamed I was workin' in a soap factory las' night."—N. Y. Truth.

BULLVILLE.

Going to the Fair—Recovering from His
Injury—Opening of School—Chance of
Station Agent.

Correspondence ARGUS AND MERCURY.
—Bullville will be well represented at the Orange County Fair at Middletown, this week.

—The first baseman of our team, Frank Dickerson, who was quite seriously injured at Walden, last Monday, we are glad to say, is improving. He is progressing slowly, but we hope to see him around again.

—Our public school opened on Monday, with Miss Caldwell, of Newburgh, as teacher.

—Clarence F. Dickerson, of Middletown, spent Sunday at his home near this place.

—Station Agent Walter G. Merritt, who has been at this place for nearly two years, has been promoted to be agent at Hawthorne, on the main line of the Erie near Paterson. He took his position there last week. S. M. Roberson, son of Supervisor S. D. Roberson, has taken the station at this place.

BLOOMINGBURGH.

Resignation of Postmaster Low—At the
Reformed Church—Visit to Peachwood
Farm.

Correspondence ARGUS AND MERCURY.
—T. M. Low has sent in his resignation as postmaster to take effect by Oct. 1st. Mr. Low is about to engage in other business.

—At the Reformed Church, Sunday, Rev. J. L. Stillwell was assisted by Rev. Joseph Malett, of White Point, and Rev. Isaac W. Gowan, of Weehawken, N. J. Mr. Gowan, who was a classmate of Mr. Stillwell at college, preached both morning and evening.

—A party of boarders from Mrs. D. D. Low's, accompanied by one of our citizens, visited the peach orchard of N. B. Sinclair at Peachwood Farm, Sunday. After going through the orchard and admiring the delicious fruit and tasting the different kinds until they could taste no more, each one selected a few samples of different varieties to take home with them. All agreed that the trees bending under the weight of fruit were a sight well worth seeing.

WESTTOWN.

A Church Sociable.

Correspondence ARGUS AND MERCURY.
—The ladies of the M. E. Church at Westtown, will hold a sociable at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Huber Brown on the lower road, on Friday evening of this week, September 17, 1897. Refreshments will be served and a nice entertainment will be given. All are cordially invited.

Sciatic Rheumatism Cured.

L. Wagner, wholesale druggist, Richmond, Va., says: "I had a fearful attack of sciatic rheumatism, was laid up almost two months; was fortunate enough to get Mystic Cure For Rheumatism. This cured me after doctors' prescriptions had failed to have any effect. I have also heard of fine results from others who have used it." J. E. Mills, Druggist, No. 2 Empire Block, North street, Middletown, N. Y.

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All those terrible, itching diseases of the skin that help to make life miserable for us are caused by external parasites. Doan's Ointment kills the parasite and cures the disease. Perfectly harmless, never fails.

HAVEN.

Dull Times for Boatmen—Cord Wood in
Fair Demand—Clearing Up Along the
Canal—Crop Conditions—Many Per-
sonal and Local Notes.

Correspondence ARGUS AND MERCURY.

—Our school commenced Tuesday of last week. Our teacher, James Cunningham, of Wurtsboro, seems to be the right man in the right place, as the scholars all seem to be pleased with him. He rides his bike to and from the school mornings and nights. We wish him and his school success.

—John A. Kopp accompanied Miss Grace Hosier from her week's visit at Cocheton. Mr. Kopp spent a week hunting ducks on Bashas Kill and visiting his friends at this place.

—Miss Sybil Decker was home Sunday afternoon visiting her parents.

—Our farmers are very busy at present cutting corn and threshing their buckwheat. Henry Leigh, who has the Graham farm, has an enormous crop of buckwheat and his corn is also No. 1. He is a very good farmer if one may judge from the appearance of his crops.

—H. R. Philcox, whose farm adjoins Mr. Leigh's, also has a fine crop of buckwheat.

—Corn, from appearances, is a good crop with most of our farmers. Potatoes with some are a very good crop, although some say they find a good many rotten ones.

—The Misses Nellie and Daisy Jansen, of this place, who have been assisting Mrs. Carpenter, of High View, this summer, in attending to the wants of her numerous city boarders, arrived home last week.

—Capt. Harry Moore and his first mate, John Ogg, arrived here with their boat, last week, and are loading her again with cord wood for Fuiton & Holmes, of Wurtsboro.

—Joseph McLaughlin and wife, of Walden, spent Sunday with John Hosier.

—William Sayre, of Westbrookeville, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. R. M. Sayre, of this place.

—The tow path is now undergoing a general cleaning of all standing brush and weeds on its slope. When completed it will be a great improvement to the appearance of the canal.

—Capt. Fred Jansen is home at this writing from his boat which is still lying in Rondout. I think this is his fourth week home. This seems a long time for a boat to lay with a cargo, but some have laid five weeks this summer and the worst of it all is there does not seem to be any brighter prospects.

—The cord wood business is very good, for wood is now being shipped from this place at a lively rate. There still remains an immense amount of it for shipment from this place and vicinity.

—J. C. Decker and sister and Miss Mary A. Moley recently visited Mrs. O. P. Allen at Summitville.

—Miss Annie Moore, who has been spending her summer vacation with her sister, Mrs. F. E. Hotchkiss, of Liberty, returned home Friday evening of last week. She was accompanied by her sister and her little nephew, Harold.

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Strength begins
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soon as the sufferer begins to take it.

"For several years," says Mr. Richard B. Brown, a commission merchant of 306 Washington street, New York, "I suffered from inflammation and ulceration of the bladder. My family physician was unable to relieve me. Specialists failed to do me any good. I kept growing worse. I had been confined to my bed five weeks, and I didn't think there was much chance of getting out of it. Well, I tried Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. In a week I was able to get out of bed, and in a short time I recovered completely. I can work 16 hours a day now, and to Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy all credit is due."

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Clear All Evening.

The glasses were going round when the man who had been in the navy spoke, says the Louisville Courier-Journal. "Wait a minute, boys. We've had several. Let me give you a tip that I learned when I was on the China station. You are pretty good drinkers, you Kentucky boys, and you could hold your own with anybody east, west or north who tries to put you under the table. But unless you carry out my plans don't you ever stack yourselves up against an Englishman, and especially an army or naval officer. You could knock them out on whisky, but they don't drink it, except in smoky Scotch and Irish abominations. But with champagne, brandy, claret, ale, sherry, port, pulque in Mexico, saki in China, palm liquor in Africa, bamboos and shandygaff in India, steer clear of them—that is, unless you have the good luck to meet a certain little yellow-faced, wizened creole from Louisiana, whose recipe is passed around the mess-tables of United States men-of-war to this day. It started in the old days when the British officers always had the pleasure of outstaying their American guests or hosts whenever two ships met on a foreign station. Then that little yellow devil came along with his trick and the Englishmen have never since come better than second in any drinking bout. The secret? Olive oil. One wineglassful before the fun begins and, if possible, another later on and you can keep your wits and legs through out the dampest evening. I suppose one of two things happens. Either the oil coats the stomach and keeps the alcohol from being absorbed by the system, or else it floats on top and keeps the fumes from rising to the brain. But you'll have to ask the medicine man about that. All I know is its practical result, and that has enabled us Yankee Doodles to go home cheerful and clear-headed many an evening when our foreign consins were speechless."

TROPICAL TIPS.

Showing How to Make Hot Weather
Endurable.

A hint comes from India which is worth using in the hot summer days. Lassitude and loss of appetite are among the first evidences of the effect of the sun's heat upon the body, and in hot weather many persons who have never had sunstroke are debilitated by what might be fairly called sun fatigue, which, although not serious, renders work of every kind more laborious than it would otherwise be.

The influence of the sun varies enormously in different individuals, some of whom have to take special precautions in order to be able to resist it. A spinal pad is used by soldiers in many tropical countries. It arrests the light, which often works such injury, but is uncomfortably hot, and soon becomes objectionable from its absorption of perspiration.

In India the boon and blessing beyond compare with those who have to spend part of their lives under a tropical sunlight is an orange-colored shirt. An English engineer declares that he frequently fell ill after duty in the sun, until he treated himself as a photographic sensitive plate, and surrounded his body with yellow light.

All clothing, however thick, allows certain rays to pass, and although thick clothing would arrest all the injurious elements of sunlight, it would interfere with the escape of bodily heat. The yellow shirt, for sensitive people who are much in hot sunlight, is an excellent protection, only inferior to the simplest and best of all India protectives—a white umbrella, which has not yet been acclimated in this country.

Visions.

"Do you believe in second sight?" "To a certain extent I do. I have more than once seen double."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Scientific Methods.

Birch—Riches have wings!
Pine—Possibly, but most millionaires seem to have succeeded in clipping them pretty successfully.—Brooklyn Life.

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AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION. Sept. 14—Echo meeting, C. F. Societies. Sept. 14—Orange County Fair. Sept. 14—Mime and Song, at Casino. Sept. 21—Trolleyman's picnic, at Midway Park. Sept. 28—Japanese Kettle Drum, at First Baptist Church. Oct. 1 and 2—Orange County Horse Show, at Goshen. TUESDAY, SEPT. 14, 1897. JUDICIARY CONVENTION. Whereas, at the Judiciary Convention of the Democratic party, held in and for the Second Judicial District, at the Court House, in the city of Brooklyn, N. Y., on the 25th day of September, 1896, it was unanimously resolved that the Chairman and Secretary of said convention be authorized to call the next Judiciary Convention of said district, and to effect its organization as temporary officers, therefore, by virtue of said authority, the undersigned do hereby call a Judiciary Convention of the Democratic party in and for the Second Judicial District, to be held at the Court House, in the city of Brooklyn, N. Y., on the 25th day of September, 1897, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the office of Justice of the Supreme Court, in place of Mr. Justice Willard Bartlett, to be voted for at the ensuing general election. Dated September 10th, 1897. ARTHUR C. SALMON, Chairman. JOHN W. LIXON, Secretary. Judge Charles F. McLean, who held the trial term of the Supreme Court at Goshen in June, is now talked of as the Democratic candidate for Mayor of Greater New York.

OBITUARY. Mrs. Elizabeth Ellen. Mrs. Elizabeth Ellen, widow of the late Thomas Ellen, died, this morning, at her home, 16 Cortland street. A more extended notice will appear tomorrow. Burt Smith. Burt Smith died at 5:30 o'clock, this morning, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Emmet Smith, near Monahan Lake, aged twenty-seven years. He was an only son, and his parents are inconsolable. He had been sick since November, with complications following an attack of grip. He was a patient sufferer and was reconciled to death. Mrs. Margaret Little. Mrs. Margaret Little, widow of the late Rev. Henry Little, died at 10:30, to-day at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Susie Monks, 88 Linden Terrace. She is survived by two sons, Theodore S., of Sasquehanna, Pa., and Charles H., of Waywayanda, and by a daughter, Mrs. Monks. The funeral will be held at the Decker-town M. E. Church, Thursday afternoon at 1:30. Mrs. George E. Beakes. After four weeks of patient suffering, Hannah N., the beloved wife of George E. Beakes, passed peacefully away in her home, at 16 Highland avenue, shortly after midnight. Four weeks ago, yesterday, when informed of the death of her daughter-in-law, at Sidney, Mrs. Beakes was prostrated. Bilious remittent fever developed, and after three weeks pneumonia attacked the sufferer, which ended her earthly career. Mrs. Beakes, who was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Increase C. Jordan, was born near Bloomingburgh, Jan. 7, 1845. She married George E. Beakes at her home, Nov. 20, 1867. They removed to this city in 1893, from Sidney, where they had resided ten years. Four children were born to them: Charles H., of New York; Crosby Jordan and Edna, at home; Susie J., who died in infancy, Feb. 3, 1871. Mrs. Beakes' mother survives her with the following brothers and sisters: Increase C. Jordan, of this city; Joseph V. Jordan, of Newburgh; Mrs. Mary C. Smith, of Norwich; Mrs. Sarah A. Dill, of Kingston; Mrs. Frances H. McKenna, of Thompson Ridge; Mrs. Harriet L. Wilkin, another sister, died at Wallkill twenty years ago. Mrs. Beakes had been for a number of years a consistent member of the First Presbyterian Church. The funeral will occur at her late home on Thursday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, and will be conducted by her pastor, Rev. Dr. Gordon. Interment in Hillside.

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AT THE COUNTY SEAT. INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN. The Vocal Society's First Concert—Gone to Mt. Clemens—Special Meeting of Elliotts—New Hydrants—Quarterly Conference at the M. E. Church—Other Notes. From Our Regular Correspondent. Season tickets for the concerts of the Vocal Society can be secured at C. E. Mills'paugh's. "The Last Judgment," by Spohr, will be given at the first concert, Thursday evening, Sept. 30th. It is a work new to the society, and will be rendered with the assistance of well known soloists and orchestral support. Mayor Hock started for Mt. Clemens, Mich., last night. A special meeting of Elliott H. and L. Co. will be held to-morrow night. A number of new fire hydrants are being put in to replace defective ones throughout the village. The regular quarterly conference of the M. E. Church will be held after prayer meeting, Wednesday night. Gus White is at the Orange County Fair, this week, with his "Punch and Judy" show. Orange Lodge, I. O. O. F., meets to-night. George H. Mills is at Pittsfield, Mass., acting as starting judge at trotting races, this week.

DOINGS OF THE FIREMEN. Business Transacted at Last Night's Meetings. Several fire companies held their regular monthly meetings, last night, but only routine business was transacted and matters pertaining to the annual parade, Sept. 30th, discussed. M'QUOID ENGINE COMPANY. The company transacted routine business and decided to hold its annual festival at the Assembly Rooms, Thursday evening, Sept. 30th, parade night. The following committee was appointed to make arrangements: President F. J. Neary, James Gavin, John S. Farrell, James Durham, Thomas Costello, Thos. Guerin. Subscribe for the MIDDLETOWN DAILY ARGUS. Eight pages. All the news. 30 cents per month; \$3.50 per year. Forced to Resign His Position. William Allison Davis, for ten years a valued employee of the Wallkill Hat Shops, has been forced to resign his position, to-day, through ill health. "Billy" had charge of the box department and the work had become too hard for his impaired physique. He will engage in the laundry business with his mother. Relief in Six Hours. Distressing Kidney and Bladder disease relieved in six hours by "NEW GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN KIDNEY CURE." It is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in bladder, kidneys and back, in male or female. Relieves retention of water almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is the remedy. Sold by J. E. Mills, druggist, Middletown, N. Y. Subscribe for the MIDDLETOWN DAILY ARGUS. Eight pages. All the news. 30 cents per month; \$3.50 per year.

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DIED. BEAKES—In this city, Sept. 14th, '97, Hannah N., wife of George E. Beakes, aged fifty-two years. Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon, at three o'clock, at the First Presbyterian Church. Relatives will meet at the residence, No. 16 Highland avenue, at two o'clock sharp, where brief funeral services will be held, after which the interment will immediately take place. Friends who wish to pass by the casket may call at the house after two o'clock, Wednesday. SMITH—In the town of Wallkill, Sept. 14th, '97, Burt, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Emmet Smith, aged twenty-seven years. Interment in family plot, Hillside Cemetery. ELLEN—At 16 Cortland street, in this city, Sept. 14th, '97, Elizabeth, widow of Thomas Ellen, aged eighty-four years. LIITS—In this city, Sept. 14th, '97, Margaret, widow of the late Rev. Henry Little, aged sixty-seven years, eleven months, one day. Funeral services will be held at the M. E. Church at Deckerstown, Thursday afternoon, at one-thirty o'clock. Interment in family plot, Fairview Cemetery.

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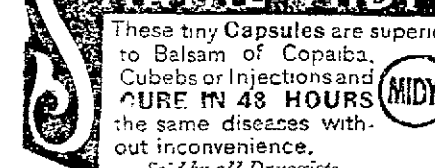
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THINGS LOOK SERIOUS

More Fever Cases Reported From Various Southern Points.

A DEATH OCCURS AT BERKLEY.

Traffic and Business Light at New Orleans, Which is Held in Strict Quarantine—Yellow Jack Spreads in Biloxi.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—The official dispatches to the surgeon general make the situation more serious. Dr. Guiteras, the government expert, reported a case of yellow fever at the city hospital at Mobile, also a suspected case, and added that he apprehended a serious outbreak. At the same time Surgeon Carter telegraphed from Ocean Springs that four cases of yellow fever existed at Berkley, that there had been eight cases known to be yellow fever, and that two exposed physicians were at Vancleave and Scranton practically under guard. The dispatch from Dr. Guiteras at Mobile is as follows:

"Have found one case of yellow fever at city hospital, Norwegian, who has not been out of city; probably fatal termination. One suspicious case. I apprehend serious outbreak. Every facility has been extended me here."

Surgeon General Wyman telegraphed: "Wire occupation of Norwegian in City hospital and how he could have contracted it. Instructions later."

The surgeon general also wired to Dr. Rhett Goode, president of the board of health of Mobile, asking him to telegraph an assurance that every measure is being taken to prevent spread from the one case in the City hospital and from the suspected case.

The dispatch from Surgeon Carter at Ocean Springs was as follows:

"Four cases yellow fever now at Berkley. One death, Robert Glenn. One case malarial fever there. Have been 12 cases of sickness all told, ten of which I think were yellow fever and two of which I know were. Four deaths; no dengue. Only four nonimmunes, yet the well have been directly exposed, three moved exposed. I moved those three into absolute isolation in noninfected quarters, with Dr. Gaines. The fourth is in a house in the country and is isolated but not under guard, a source of but little danger now. The physicians who have been exposed are in Scranton and Vancleave, a community. I am told, rather than a town. The one at Vancleave is nonimmune, the one in Scranton is Dr. Kells. The infected houses are practically under guard for the present. Guards stationed at the two abandoned. Some burning done and some aeration of light fabrics. More will be done by Dr. Gaines, who will stay there some days. The few who are not sick or immune are very anxious to come to camp."

Surgeon Carter, who has been at Ocean Springs, was ordered to proceed to New Orleans to aid in inspection of outgoing trains and steamboats already begun by Assistant Surgeon Norman.

Surgeon Wadlin, who has been at Ocean Springs for some time, was taken ill yesterday. This information came from Surgeon Murray, who did not state the nature of the illness, but Dr. Wyman supposes it to be yellow fever.

Surgeon Murray has engaged a nurse who will care for him. Dr. Wadlin has been actively engaged since the outbreak of yellow fever at Ocean Springs and was present at the first autopsy at which the conclusion was reached that the disease was yellow jack.

Dr. Goode, the president of the Alabama state board of health, has telegraphed Dr. Wyman that all measures have been taken to prevent the spread of the disease which has manifested itself at Mobile. The inmates of the hospital where the disease appeared were quarantined, and the room formerly occupied by the yellow fever patient had been thoroughly disinfected. There was no report of suspected cases. Dr. John Guiteras has been ordered to remain in Mobile for the present, as his services are necessary for further investigation. He will make a daily report to the surgeon general.

More Cases at Biloxi.

BILLOXI, Miss., Sept. 14.—The condition of affairs as regards the yellow fever is not materially changed from the former reports. Most of those sick are improving rapidly. The condition of all is favorable.

Two new cases have been reported in the Desporte family, living on Oak street, out near the point. This makes four cases in that family.

One new case was reported by Dr. Harlan. Dr. Tackett reported three new cases. Dr. Tackett has 14 cases of fever, nine of which he diagnoses as yellow fever, and this is concurred in by Dr. Grant, who had just made the round of visits with him.

Dr. Grant further says the evidences of yellow fever are as clear and distinct with the Bosarge family as he has ever seen in any case.

Little Traffic at New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 14.—Every town of importance is quarantined against New Orleans.

When people summed up matters and found that there were only seven imported cases and that they had been warned as to six of them, they decided to wait until the situation should become more aggravated before making a break for other parts.

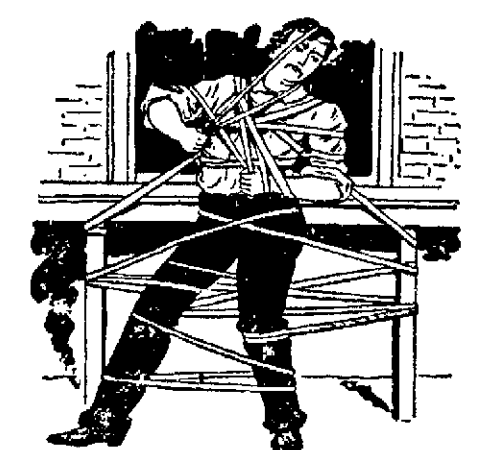
There was the very heavy outgoing travel and very little incoming. The natives have, contrary to expectation, not become frightened over the existence of yellow fever, and whatever depression exists is due to the fact that business, which was 20 per cent above the usual, has fallen off.

Austin Declares Quarantine.

AUSTIN, Sept. 14.—State Health Officer Swearingin has declared rigid quarantine against New Orleans and will positively forbid any persons coming in from that section.

Harvest Hands Badly Needed.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 14.—The problem of how to obtain help to harvest this year's crop has become serious to the fruit growers of California. One employment agency in this city has places open for 3,000 men in Fresno and Tulare counties alone, while Napa, Sonoma, Yolo, Santa Clara and Yuba counties are not far behind. Last year for this class of work men were paid \$20 a month and board. Now \$1 a day and board is the regular thing.



Disease makes a man just as helpless as if he were tied with ropes. Weary lassitude makes his muscles useless—sluggish circulation of impure blood fills his brain with useless clogging matter. Effort is distasteful and brings scant results. The trouble usually starts with the digestion. Too much brain work takes needed blood from stomach to head and retards the stomach's work. The body is not fed. The nerves rebel. Sleep becomes a stranger. Loss of appetite is followed by loss of flesh—and all for the want of the right medicine at the right time. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is for the man who is losing flesh and vitality. It is for the man whose digestion needs help and whose nerves and brain are overworked. It is the greatest of all tonics. No matter what seems to be your trouble, the "Golden Medical Discovery" will cure it. It cures by making the blood pure, rich and plenty, and by furnishing food for nerves and brain. Nothing has ever been found to equal it, but dishonest druggists sometimes try to make you believe that something more profitable to them is "just as good." Do not be deceived. Get what you ask for. Constipation if neglected brings with it a train of maladies that until the sufferer has over the duties or pleasures of life. Sick and bilious head, aches and a multitude of other ills are due to constipation. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation promptly and permanently. Druggists sell them. Nothing else is "just the same."

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HOUSTON, Sept. 14.—Information has reached here that a severe hurricane has visited the towns of Port Arthur and Sabine Pass, blown down all the buildings and killed 13 people.

The storm damage at Sabine is considerable, except to shipping. Two tugs were sunk, drowning two men named Moore and Bettis. The damage to buildings in both the old and the new towns of Sabine Pass was but slight.

At Port Arthur fully three-fourths of the buildings, mostly temporary structures, were blown down. Six persons were killed at Port Arthur from the falling of the roundhouse, to which they had gone for safety, and 15 wounded.

The storm which led to the destruction of the towns along shore became so fierce as to produce a tidal wave all along the coast, completely wiping out both places.

Sabine Pass is about 70 miles east-northeast of Galveston and is noted for the grandeur of its beach, which was washed by the waters of the gulf of Mexico. It is a thriving little town of late years it has grown rapidly. Port Arthur is not as large a village as Sabine Pass.

The Unlucky Number Again.

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 14.—A message received at the headquarters of the Kansas City, Pittsburg and Gulf railroad states that 13 men are dead at Port Arthur. The message gives no particulars.

An earlier dispatch received by F. A. Hornbeck, land commissioner for the railroad company and manager of the Port Arthur Town Site company, from George McCreagh, town site agent at Port Arthur, says:

"The dead are Frank Albright, electric light employee; Fritz Michaels, carpenter; George Martin, bricklayer; Mary Answorth, a 6-month-old child, and an unknown man."

The loss at Sabine Pass is one schooner, four tugs, many buildings and ten or more people drowned, including Moore and Bettis, contractors. There is six feet of water in Sabine Pass.

Olive Pecker Murderer Known.

BOSTON, Sept. 14.—The first official tidings of the awful tragedy at sea on the Boston schooner Olive Pecker, in which Captain Whitman of Rockland, Me., and First Mate Sanders were murdered, came to this city in a letter to Collector Winslow Warren of the port, enclosing a copy of the cablegram from Bahia, Brazil, transmitted to the state department by Vice Consul Brice. The cablegram says that John Anderson, a naturalized American citizen and steward of the schooner Olive Pecker, killed Captain Whitman and Mate Sanders, apparently under provocation. In previous reports the name of the murderer has been variously given as Horsbrough, the engineer; Seaman Lind and Peter Thompson, but neither of these committed the crime. In fact, there was no man named Thompson on board the ill-fated schooner.

Murderer Carter Making a Fight.

Philip F. Carter, who stabbed to death Master at Arms Thomas J. Kenny on board the battleship Indiana on July 1, has succeeded in securing an adjournment of his trial until Oct. 1. The trial was to have been begun yesterday but Carter's counsel, J. Gray McManis, asked for an adjournment.

When the trial is called on Oct. 1, he will ask to have the case transferred to the United States circuit court in this city on the ground that the murder was not committed within the jurisdiction of the federal court sitting in Brooklyn. The defense will be insanity, it is said.

Turkey Is Impatient.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 14.—Tewfik Pasha, the Turkish foreign minister has renewed his protest on behalf of Turkey at the "needless delay in arriving at a settlement." According to authoritative reports, the treaty of peace may now be signed at any moment. It is understood that £1,000,000 pounds Turkish will be paid to the Turkish government through the Imperial Ottoman bank as soon as the evaluation of the losses commences.

Murderer Harris Recovering.

BOSTON, Sept. 14.—John M. Harris, the murderer of Mrs. George S. Butters at Concord, is rapidly recovering from the bullet wound in his head inflicted by himself and, according to the authorities at the hospital, can be removed for arraignment almost any day. He is guarded night and day by officers employed by the state police. Young Butters, who was shot by Harris, is recovering.

American Woman Hurt in Paris.

PARIS, Sept. 14.—Mrs. Marshall, an American, met with an accident which will probably prove fatal. She was riding on the top of an omnibus along the Rue de Lafayette, when a wheel of the vehicle was caught in the tramway rails. The omnibus gave a sudden lurch, and Mrs. Marshall was thrown into the street with great violence. She was removed to the hospital.

Thorn Makes a New Admission.

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Captain O'Brien has made an affidavit stating that Martin Thorn has admitted to him the hiring of the survey for Mrs. Naek, but denies that he knew anything of the murder of William Guldensuppe. He also previously admitted the renting of the cottage at Woodside, L. I.

Chess Congress Begun.

BERLIN, Sept. 14.—Of the ten games played only four resulted in victories—namely, for Marco, Blackburne, Walbrodt and Alapin respectively. Five games were drawn, and one was adjourned.

Their Loss Will Be Our Gain.

LONDON, Sept. 14.—The Times' correspondent at Buenos Ayres says it is feared there that the harvest will be almost entirely destroyed by locusts.

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ROW IN COMMON COUNCIL

ALDERMEN INDULGED IN "FIGHTING TALK," LAST NIGHT.

"You're a liar," said Mr. Allen in reply to Mr. Memory's insinuations. "You're a dirty, stinking sneak," was Mr. Memory's elegant retort. Wrangle over the Stone Crusher Bill precipitated the ruction—President Mance's reproach to Mr. Memory—the business of the meeting.

There was a "hot time" in the Common Council, Monday night. Alderman Memory made insinuations and charges against Mr. Allen and was twice called a liar and retorted by calling Alderman Allen a "dirty, stinking sneak," when a hasty adjournment ended this most disgraceful episode in the history of this most truculent and faction-ridden Council.

The ruction occurred late in the evening after all the spectators and peace-maker and peace-keeper Bastian had gone home.

The meeting had been harmonious on the surface, though the Council had displeased His Honor, the Mayor, in a sewer matter.

STONE CRUSHER BILL MADE THE TROUBLE. The Auditing Committee referred the Clinton Company's bill of \$1,300 for the stone crusher back to the Council.

Mr. Allen objected to paying the bill, saying that the crusher was guaranteed to crush 140 tons of stone in ten hours, but at no time had it reached 100 tons when pushed to its fullest capacity.

Mr. Memory popped up and said: "Mr. Allen is prejudiced against this crusher. He knows that it has never been put where it can do its best. It should be taken off the wheels to prevent vibration and consequent loss of power when I believe it would do all that is required to do. Mr. Allen has been purposely holding up that bill, and I move that it be paid."

Mr. Crans seconded the motion, but it was lost. Messrs. Mance, Allen, Ogden and Tierney voting "no."

Then Mr. Memory again regained the floor. He talked very dramatically, his voice sinking to chords generally heard on the left end of a quartette and said: "We should maintain the credit of our city and we can only do so by paying our just bills. You may be impairing the credit of this company by refusing to pay that bill. All debts should be paid by the city when transactions are fulfilled."

Mr. Allen (interrupting): "We want our transactions fulfilled."

THE ROW PRECIPITATED.

Mr. Memory (glaring at Mr. Allen): "I'm getting sick and tired of your actions in this Board. You are prejudiced against the crusher. As chairman of the Street Committee you do no work. You never meet the committee and you have never been near the street work on Centre and King streets. You may go there nights or Sundays, but Street Commissioner Reed has never seen you while the work is in progress. I've got your record, sir, and I'll expose you to this whole city and to this Board."

RETOURS IN COURTROOM.

Mr. Allen: "You're a liar."

Mr. Memory: "Don't you say that again, sir!"

Mr. Allen: "You're a liar!"

Mr. Memory: "Your language only gives you away, sir. It shows your breeding. You're a dirty, stinking sneak!"

Having worked himself to a pitch of excitement which he could not control, Mr. Memory refused to obey the chairman's call to come to order. He hesitated for a moment, when Mr. Mance said: "You must come to order. You must charge against Mr. Allen and he replied, and rightly so, Mr. Allen, I admire the tack you have taken."

Mr. Memory pointed his index finger at the chairman and said: "The chairman of this board should hold up its dignity. You should preserve its order and protect its members from attacks. You cannot, sir—er—You have not the ability, sir—er—"

THE COUNCIL RECONVENE.

Mr. Mance, who had made a bee line for the door and cooler air, returned and reconvened the meeting that the other calls might be audited.

He said that hereafter when members are called to order he should insist on their coming to order or he would take other steps.

Mr. Memory who had recovered his nerve, moved that \$1,000 be paid on account. Mr. Mance urged that to pay any part would doubtless fasten the Council. Mr. Ogden thought an expert should be sent to test the machine.

Mr. Memory then made another long speech which he wound up by saying that he hated quarrels and bickerings, but that he felt aggrieved. He was sorry for what had occurred during this session.

REPROVED BY THE PRESIDENT.

A calm discussion followed and Mr. Mance stated that he was glad Mr. Memory was sorry. He thought that after had not treated some members well and added that the Mayor now has a letter in his pocket which explains why the president would not and could not work with the Alderman from the Fourth.

Mr. Mance further said: "You claim

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that you could show Mr. Allen up before this town. I think some apologies are due."

Mr. Memory: "You think I should apologize for Mr. Allen's calling me a liar."

Mr. Mance: "You should not go off so suddenly. A member has a right to object to your statement."

Mr. Ayres was excused here.

WILL KEEP MR. MEMORY STRAIGHT.

Mr. Memory stood up and with folded arms listened while Mr. Mance went on to tell him that he had charged the President also with doing crooked work. He declared Mr. Memory could not charge him with any untruths. "You refused to come to order at my request. You tried to bulldoze and push your point. I'm not going to put up with your jangling, nor will I allow you to make unsubstantiated charges against members."

Mr. Memory: "I think the chair was wrong in upholding Mr. Allen after he had called me a liar."

Mr. Mance: "You misunderstood me. I do not uphold him. I said I admired his tact in objecting when he thought he was right."

NO APOLOGIES TO MAKE.

Mr. Memory: "Well, I have no apologies to make, whatever. I pursue the dictates of my conscience in what I say."

Another discussion of the crusher followed and the Mayor was authorized to ask the company to send a man here to show what the crusher can do.

PROCEEDINGS IN DETAIL.

W. H. McCarter and William V. Luckey asked to be appointed junior of the fire houses. The communications were placed on file.

Mr. Bastian stated that the resolution recently passed regarding the straightening of Highland avenue and the application for a commission was not as the attorney desired to have it, and he moved that it be rescinded. It was carried, and a new motion of the same intent and worded to suit the attorney was passed, Alderman Crans voting "no."

On motion of Mr. Tierney the superintendent was authorized to repair School, Rowan and Ogden streets to the amount of \$50 each.

An incandescent light asked at Wickham avenue and Harrison street was referred to the lighting committee.

Motions by Mr. Memory for incandescent lights near Lorentz's green house, at Academy and Benton avenues, on East avenue between Little avenue and Washington streets and between Houston avenue and East Main streets, were referred to the lighting committee.

Mr. Tierney asked that a grade line and map of Beattie avenue be furnished at the next meeting as asked for by this Board. It was ordered.

Mr. Crans moved that an incandescent light be placed on Maryland avenue and one on Wallkill avenue near Mr. Giles'. Referred.

On motion of Mr. Tierney, the Lighting Committee was empowered to instruct the electric light company to change lights wherever necessary.

Mr. Ayres desired a lamp near Sprague avenue bridge and this was referred to the Lighting Committee.

BILLS FOR DAMAGES BY WATER.

John Ryker of 127 North street, put in a bill of \$75, and Luther Cox, of 125 North street, one of \$50 for damages from water during the heavy rain of Sept. 2d. Referred to the Law Committee.

H. W. Purdy, of 44 Academy avenue, put in two bills of \$25 each for damage by water during rains of August 10th and Sept. 2d. Laid on table.

Richard Moran, who had his shoulder broken while working in the East avenue sewer, July 24th, petitioned the Board for part payment of wages. No action was taken.

Capt. Weber's report on August showed that thirty-five arrests were made and \$18 paid in fines.

Chief Hughman also reported on the expenses of the fire department for August.

L. S. Wisner again called attention to his offer to curb and grade a sidewalk on the north side of Wisner avenue.

Mayor Berry disapproved the resolutions ordering sanitary sewers on Chestnut and Bonnell streets and Linden avenue on the ground that on the completion of the North street sewer there would be an indebtedness of \$3,500 on account of sewer assessments and in justice to the city's interests that was as much money as should be tied up in that way.

There was a long discussion, but nothing came of it.

REPORTS OF COMMISSIONERS.

Mr. Ayres recommended an incandescent lamp on Mills avenue between Hoffmann and Bennett streets. It was ordered.

The same polling places were named as last year, except that in the first district of the First Ward, Wilkes Brothers coal office will be used instead of Morey's barn.

The request for flagging on Grand

avenue from Prince to DeWitt street was granted.

The street superintendent was ordered to gravel walks on north side of East Main street, between Horton avenue and East Broadway, where property owners have not complied with order.

Mr. Hirst's motion to flag walks and raise to grade on both sides of Centre street within fifteen days was carried. The street committee was empowered to do the city's share of the work.

President Mance, Alderman Tierney and Mayor Berry were appointed a committee to settle with or sue the Traction Company for its paving assessment. Unless the company settles, the case will be commenced in court, next Saturday.

A sidewalk on Linden avenue, in front of Mrs. Hasbrouck's lot, was ordered graveled in fifteen days.

LINDEN AVENUE SEWER AGAIN ORDERED.

Mr. Memory brought up the Linden avenue sewer order, and having caused it to be rescinded as vetoed by the Mayor, he moved that the sewer be constructed from Prospect street, north about 1,700 feet, and on Hasbrouck street from Linden avenue to North. It was carried.

one or two voting aye, while no one voted no. Mayors Berry will probably veto this resolution, as he did the former one.

Clerk Hamilton reported that the city had paid \$228.97 for flagging done on Mulberry street in front of the property of the Howell, Hinchman Company. On motion a bill will be sent them.

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Ira M. Corwin, coal. 9 89
J. G. Martin, castings. 43 30
Nat. Saw Co., coal and oil. 41 95
L. C. Terwilliger, repairs. 32 50
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H. A. Knapp, police. 95
W. H. Decker, stone. 514 50
C. B. Wilkes, wood. 9 60
Pay roll. 559 38
Day roll. 508 83
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Water Commission. 46 80
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The bills of policemen who had been at Albany with prisoners were referred to the city attorney for investigation.

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